

Public Notice – Environmental Project

PURPOSE OF NOTICE:

The Department of Environmental Quality seeks public comment on the state's response to the environmental aspects of a proposed project in the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:

March 5, 2013 to April 2, 2013

TYPE OF RESPONSE:

Federal Consistency Determination

DEQ is reviewing a proposed federal activity to determine if it is consistent with the Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program (VCP) established pursuant to the U.S. Coastal Zone Management Act. The VCP seeks to protect the quality of air, water or other natural resources in Virginia's coastal area.

NAME OF AGENCY PROPOSING THE PROJECT:

National Science Foundation

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Hoffman Block 8, LLC proposes to construct the Hoffman Town Center Block 8 for the National Science Foundation (NSF) at 2401 Eisenhower Avenue in the City of Alexandria. The site is currently a vacant surface parking lot. Hoffman Block 8, LLC, the owners of the property, is planning to redevelop the site for the NSA with an office building consisting of fourteen- and nineteen-story towers with underground parking. The NSF has submitted a Federal Consistency Determination that finds the proposed project consistent, to the maximum extent practicable, with the enforceable policies of the Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program.

HOW TO COMMENT:

DEQ accepts comments from the public by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the comment period. The public may review the project documents at DEQ's central office in Richmond.

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